26th Annual Fort Union Rendezvous, June 19-22, 2008

Public Activities Schedule (Subject to Change) Park hours 8-8, central daylight time.

Thursday, June 19 (All times are Central Daylight Time)

All Day Camp & Traders Row setup and operation

9:30-6:45 Trade House Operation, Fort Union staff

9:30-1:00 Tom Brown, blacksmithing (blacksmith shop) Daniel Gilland, blacksmithing (blacksmith shop)

10:00-12:00 Jeff & Kathy Brown, canoes of the fur trade (camp site)

1:00-5:00 Guy Pontoriero, blacksmithing (blacksmith shop)

- 1:00 Irene Rogers, finger weaving (camp site)
- 2:00 Dr. Birgit Hans, Prince Maximilian on the Upper Missouri (clerk's office)
- 3:00 Arch Ellwein, Prince Maximilian (clerk's office)
- 3:30 Chris Floyd, the Metis on the Upper Missouri (fort awning 2)
- 3:30 Dave Carr, flintlock firing demonstration (river bank)
- 4:00 Cathy Kirkpatrick, beaver skinning (fort awning 1)

Friday, June 20

- All Day Camp & Traders Row setup and operation 9:30-6:45 Trade House operation, Fort Union Staff
- 10:00-1:00 Tom Brown, blacksmithing (blacksmith shop)

 Daniel Gillund, blacksmithing (blacksmith shop)
- 11:00 Chris Floyd, the Metis of the Upper Missouri (fort awning 2)
- 11:00-5:00 Gordon Lucht, pottery making (camp awning)
- 11:30 Dave Carr, flintlock firing demonstration (river bank)
- 12:00 Irene Rogers, finger weaving (camp site) Ken Woody, buffalo hide tipi (courtyard)
- 12:00 Jeff Brown, "Fort Union Float to the Confluence" (river's edge)
- 1:00-5:00 Guy Pontoriero, blacksmithing (blacksmith shop)
- 1:00 Barry & Judy McPherson, "Myths of the Fur Trade" (clerk's office)
- 1:30 Dave Carr, flintlock firing demonstration (river bank)
- 2:00 Dr. Birgit Hans, Price Maximilian on the Upper Missouri (clerk's office)
- 3:00 Arch Ellwein, Prince Maximilian (clerk's office)
- 3:00 Cathy Kirkpatrick, beaver skinning (fort awning 1)
- 3:30 Ken Woody/Chris Floyd/Dave Carr, trade scene (trade house)
- 4:00 Mark Brown, frontier photography (courtyard)
- 8:00 Dr. Birgit Hans, German Indian reenactors (clerk's office)

Saturday, June 21

- All Day Camp & Traders Row Operation
- 9:00-10:30 10K Fun Run, American State Bank (park entrance)
- 9:30-6:45 Trade House operation, Fort Union staff
- 11:00-2:00 Tom Brown/Daniel Gillund blacksmithing (blacksmith shop)
- 11:00-5:00 Gordon Lucht, pottery making (camp awning)
- 11:00 Ken Woody, buffalo hide tipi (courtyard)
- 12:00 Chris Floyd, the Metis of the Upper Missouri (fort awning 2)
- 12:30 Dave Carr, flintlock firing demonstration (river bank)
- 1:00 Cathy Kirkpatrick. beaver skinning (fort awning 1)
- 1:00 Barry & Judy McPherson, "New Thoughts on Fur trade Trousers and Textiles" (clerk's office)
- 1:00-3:00 Jeff & Kathy Brown, canoes of the fur trade (camp site)
- 1:30 Chris Floyd/Tim McLaughlin, sign language (fort awning 2)
- 2:00 Dr. Birgit Hans, Prince Maximilian on the Upper Missouri (clerk's office)
- 2:00-5:00 Guy Pontoriero, blacksmithing (blacksmith shop)
- 2:30 Irene Rogers, finger weaving (camp site) Rod Lassey, brain tanning (west shed)
- 3:00 Mark Brown, frontier photography (courtyard)
- 4:00 Ken Woody/Chris Floyd/Dave Carr/Tim McLaughlin, trade scene (trade house)
- 8:00-12:00 Johnny Schiller, period music & dance (fort grounds) *period dress required for dance*

Sunday, June 22

- All Day Camp & Traders Row operation 9:30-6:45 Trade House operation, Fort Union staff
- 10:00-3:00 Gordon Lucht, pottery making (camp awning)
- 11:00-3:00 Tom Brown, blacksmith (blacksmith shop) Daniel Guillund, blacksmith (blacksmith shop)
- 12:00 Cathy Kirkpatrick, beaver skinner (fort awning 1)
- 12:00 Dave Carr, flintlock firing demonstration (river bank)
- 12:00-1:00 Jeff & Kathy Brown, canoes of the fur trade (camp site)
- 1:00 Chris Floyd/Tim McLaughlin, sign language (fort awning 2)
- 2:00 Dr. Birgit Hans, Prince Maximilian on the Upper Missouri (clerk's office)
- 2:00 Rod Lassey, brain tanning (west shed)
- 2:30 Irene Rogers, finger weaving (camp site)
- 3:00 Arch Ellwein, Prince Maximilian (clerk's office)
- 3:00 Chris Floyd, buffalo hide tipi (courtyard)
- 3:00 Dave Carr, flintlock firing demonstration (river bank)